

Q1 What has been lamented in the text?

The passage highlights a major concern about modern life and education.

The writer laments that education no longer teaches love for truth, beauty or spiritual fulfillment.

This has led to cultural decay and spiritual emptiness.

Q2 What is the difference between ordinary man and an artist?

The writerⁿ draws a key distinction between ordinary individual and artists. The artist sees and shares beauty; the ordinary man ignores it. So the artist lives with awareness the ordinary man does not.

Q3 How can we make our lives beautiful?

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We can make life beautiful by adding care and beauty to everything we do. Just as we value honesty, we should value artistic effort. This fulfills our inner spirit and brings joy and meaning to life.

Q4 What does the writer mean by "Beauty is not an ornament to life"?

The line redefines beauty's purpose. The writer wants to convey that beauty is essential, not extra like truth or morality. So life without beauty is spiritually poor and incomplete.

Q5 Do art and beauty affect our practical life and morals?

Ans Yes, art and beauty inspire the soul and guide our actions. They improve our inner life and outer behaviour. I agree with the writer that beauty